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IN CONVERSATION ON SPECIALTY STEEL REPORTED SEPTTEL, EC
DIRECTOR FOR GENERAL TRADE QUESTIONS, BENEDICT MEYNELL
INDICATED THAT THE COMMISSION IS UNDER SERIOUS INDUSTRY
PRESSURE TO CONTROL THE LEVEL OF IMPORTS OF CARBON STEEL,
PARTICULARLY FROM NEIGHBORING EUROPEAN COUNTRIES. ACCORDING
TO INDUSTRY, EUROPEAN DEMAND IS NOT STRONG AND SITUATION
IS REVERTING TO CRISIS STAGE OF A YEAR AGO.
COMPLAINTS, COUCHED IN ANTI-DUMPING TERMS, ARE DIRECTED
PARTICULARLY AGAINST SWEDEN AND AUSTRIA. ALTHOUGH COMMISSION
DOES NOT NECESSARILY ACCEPT INDUSTRY ALLEGATIONS, IT DOES
PLAN TO CONSULT WITH BOTH COUNTRIES UNDER THE TERMS OF THEIR
ASSOCIATION AGREEMENTS TO DETERMINE WHETHER THEY ARE APPLYING
THE CORRECT PRICING RULES OF THE ECSC.HINTON

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